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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

KIKUO YAMADA

GROUP ART UNIT: 3723

Serial Number: 10/577,362

EXAMINER: McDonald, Shantese L.

Filed: June 16, 2006

For: CLEANER

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action dated October 4, 2007, for which a shortened statutory period for response of three (3) months was given, kindly amend the subject application as follows:

In the Claims:

Kindly find below, a reproduction of all claims pending in this application with Claims 1,

4, 7, 12, 13, 16 and 18 shown as amended, Claims 2, 5, 6, 8, 11, 14, 15, 17 deleted, without prejudice, and Claims 19-26 are added, as follows: